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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION SUBMISSION**

Sir:

This paper is herewith submitted in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed in response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed on July 10, 2007 for the above-captioned U.S. Patent Application. As such, no petition for an extension of time or fee is believed to be due, as this response is herewith filed within the shortened statutory period. However, should the undersigned agent be mistaken, please consider this a petition for any extension of time that may be required to maintain the pendency of this Patent Application, and charge deposit account no. 50-1924 for any required fee deficiency.

Please amend the application as shown below.